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As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, that I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention or design entitled MESSAGE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM the specification of which (check one):

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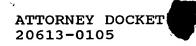
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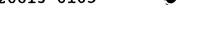
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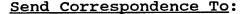
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